

DEDICATION CEREMONIES

LOUISVILLE NATIONAL GUARD ARMORY



7 SEPTEMBER 1962

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The Officers and Men of the Kentucky National Guard are grateful to the members of the Kentucky State Fair Board for providing an appropriate site on which to build the Louisville National Guard Armory.

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WELCOME!

We are pleased to have you as our guest at this formal dedication of our new Kentucky National Guard Armory Facility for Louisville.

Every Kentucky Guardsman is proud of the progress which has been made in our Armory construction program. This will be the seventh National Guard Armory dedication we have conducted since the beginning of Governor Combs' Administration. The new Barbourville Armory, number eight in this program, will be completed in the near future.

These new armories replace inadequate, antiquated or rented training facilities. In our goal to replace all inadequate facilities which still exist, we expect to place five other new Armories under contract within the next few months.

I know you will want to join me in the dedication of this new Armory in the honor of all the Officers and Men of all units of the Kentucky National Guard.

Sincerely,
ARTHUR Y. LLOYD
Major General, KyNG
The Adjutant General



Major General Arthur Y. Lloyd
The Adjutant General

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Honor Guard Ceremony 2:00 PM
West Side Parking Lot

Dedication 2:15 PM
Drill Hall

Invocation	Captain Troy Eslinger Chaplain, 138th Artillery Group, KyNG
National Anthem	158th United States Army Band Fort Knox
Greeting and Introduction of Guests	Major General Arthur Y. Lloyd The Adjutant General of Kentucky
Remarks	Honorable F. W. Curran President, Kentucky State Fair Board
Remarks	Honorable Frank Burke Representative, 3d Kentucky Congressional District
Address	Honorable Bert T. Combs Governor, Commonwealth of Kentucky
Presentation of Armory	Major General Lloyd
Response	Brigadier General William R. Buster Commanding General, XXIII Corps Artillery
Benediction	Chaplain Eslinger

BAND CONCERT — OPEN HOUSE



Brigadier General William R. Buster
Assistant Adjutant General and
Commanding General
XXIII Corps Artillery
Louisville

UNITS STATIONED IN THE LOUISVILLE NATIONAL GUARD ARMORY

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- ★ Headquarters, XXIII Corps
 Artillery Brigadier General William R. Buster
 Headquarters Battery Capt. Henry P. Young

- ★ Headquarters, 2d Howitzer Battalion,
 138th Artillery Lt. Colonel Robert R. Goetzman
 Headquarters Battery Capt. Wallace C. Taliaferro

- ★ Service Battery, 2d Howitzer Battalion,
 138th Artillery Capt. Alfred L. Ingram

- ★ Battery B, 5th Target Acquisition
 Battalion, 138th Artillery Capt. Henry E. Netherton, Jr.

- ★ Battery C, 5th Target Acquisition
 Battalion, 138th Artillery Capt. Robert D. James

- ★ Battery A, Searchlight,
 138th Artillery Capt. Asa L. Hord



MAJOR UNITS AND COMMANDERS

Kentucky Army National Guard

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State Headquarters
Frankfort Major General Arthur Y. Lloyd

Hq. XXIII Corps Artillery
Louisville Brigadier General William R. Buster

138th Artillery Group
Lexington Colonel Lee J. Duvall

149th Armor Group
St. Matthews Colonel Arthur C. Bonnycastle

1st Howitzer Bn, 138th Arty
Buechel Lt. Colonel Charles J. Cronan

2d Howitzer Bn, 138th Arty
Louisville Lt. Colonel Robert R. Goeizman

3d Howitzer Bn, 138th Arty
Richmond Lt. Colonel James W. Stocker

4th Howitzer Bn, 138th Arty
Glasgow Lt. Colonel John E. Ridge

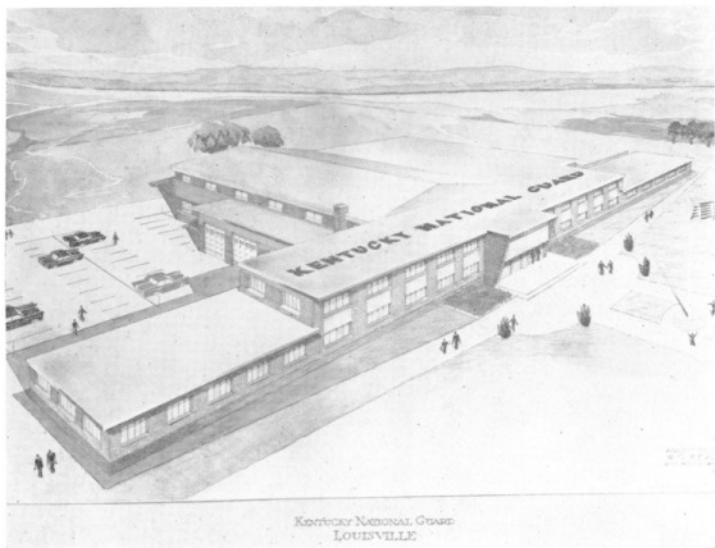
5th Target Acquisition Bn, 138th Arty
Lexington Lt. Colonel Stanton T. Smith

201st Engineer Battalion
Ashland Lt. Colonel Maurice L. McNeal

1st Medium Tank Bn, 123rd Armor
Barbourville Lt. Colonel Clarence O. Burch

2d Medium Tank Bn, 123d Armor
Owensboro Lt. Colonel William E. Hall

3d Medium Tank Bn, 123d Armor
Eowling Green Lt. Colonel Nelson A. Meredith



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